

A Celebration of Life for
Mrs. Justine Wilson



Earth's Journey
June 11, 1928

Heaven's Journey
November 22, 2016

"Maw-Maw"

*"Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever." Amen Psalms 23:6*

Services Held
Tuesday, December 6, 2016
11:00 a.m.

Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church

**831 South 43rd Street
Richmond, CA 94804**

Reverend Eric Morris, Officiating

Obituary

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heavens. The sun will rise, the sun will set, and there are special people we will never forget."

Mrs. Justine Wilson was born on June 11, 1928, to the proud parents: Namon and Mattie Harper, In Menden, Louissianna. She accepted Christ as her personal Savior at an early age, and was baptized at Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of the late Reverend C.E. Richardson.

Mrs. Justine met and married Mr. Johnnie Wilson, and to this beautiful union 5 children were born; Phillip, Paul, Antoinette, Anita, and David.

Mrs. Justine was an excellent housewife, who spent her warm summers working at the Del Monte Cannery for 10 years. She then went on to work at the University of California, as a "Book Bindery Technician", until she retired. She was also a member in good standing of the local Teamsters Union.

"Maw-Maw", as she was affectionately called, spent her quiet moments crocheting, cooking special dishes, canning "cha-cha" for the family and friends. You could often catch her sitting with a blanket near a warm heater, as she peered through the window waiting for one of many loved ones to just "stop by for a visit or stay". She was always there with a warm heart, and her doors were always open to all. "Maw-Maw" loved to watch the cooking channels on TV, she also loved basketball, baseball and football. She really loved roses and knowing this, many would often surprise her with dozens at a time. This would make her heart so happy!

She would often share her many funny phrases, such as: "MIND YOUR BUSINESS", or "THE DEVIL IS BUSY BABY, HE IS TEARING UP EVERYTHING THAT AINT NAILED DOWN". There were so many phrases she shared with us, which encouraged us and at the same time, made us all laugh.

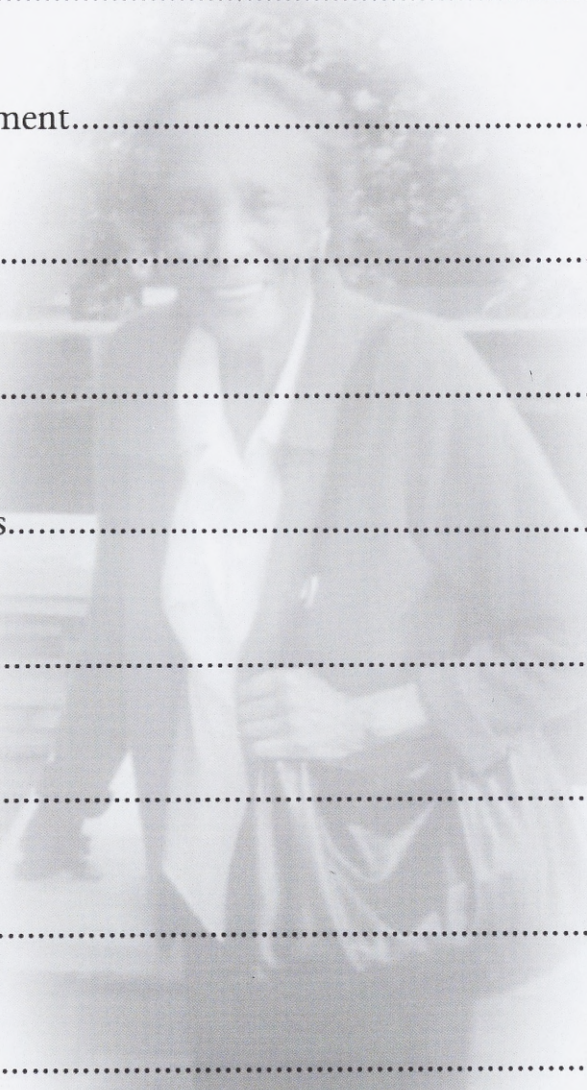
On Tuesday, November 22, 2016, as God saw her getting weary, he called "Maw-Maw" home, to rest in the safety of his arms. As the Saved woman she was, we know she is embracing wearing her crown, and has received her reward in Heaven.

There were many special people who preceded her in death: Her husband, John Henry Wilson, her brothers, Robert Harper and Troy Harper, her sisters, Irene Gamble and Maxine Ward, a special daughter in law, Leigh-Anne Wilson, three very special and dear grandsons: Demarlo Simmons, Sr., Demarlo Jr. and David Wilson Jr.

Mrs. Justine Wilson leaves to cherish her memories, her children: Phillip Wilson, (Veronica), Paul Wilson, (Mary Beth), Antoinette Cannon, (Michael Cannon Sr.), Anita Wilson, and David Wilson Sr. "Maw-Maw" was so avidly loved by all of her grandchildren, she was the driven force in their hearts. She leaves to celebrate her memories her Grandchildren: Nicole, Sheree, Makela, Maleta, Shantel, Michael Jr., Dana, Jessica, DeAnne, and Devon Sr.. She also leaves some precious Great- Grandchildren: Ajani, MiJanae, Malik, Michael Cannon III, Jeremiah, Elijahnae, Michael Moore III, Markel, DeAujinique, Demoni, Destiny, Otis Jr., Titan Jr., Carter, Devon Jr., JaMonteyanna, Jamonte, Leaje, and Ronnie. She was blessed to live to see her two Great-Great Grandchildren: Calye and Kevin. Mrs. Justine also leaves, a very special niece, who was like a daughter to her; Barbara "Baby Joe" Johnson, a special first cousin, Delthia Biddle, and a special niece, -Denise Cooper. She had two very close "best friends", Mother Verlee Flenory, and Mrs. Helen Carey. She also leaves to cherish her memories, her special dear daughter- in- law Pamela, and a god-son, Reverend Ronnie Spencer.

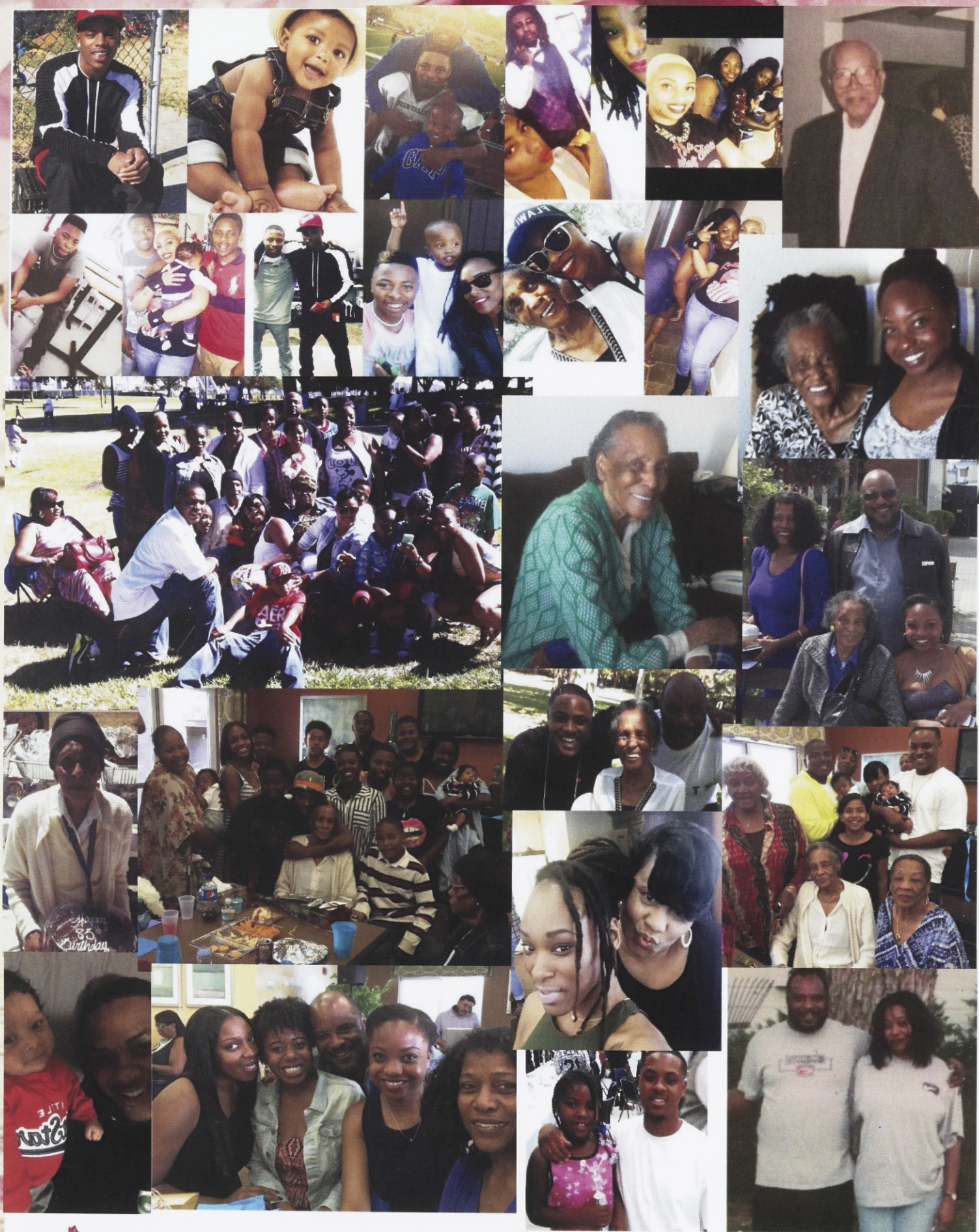
"Maw-Maw" was loved by so many. She touched the lives of all of us here today, and was a Mother to many in the community. We will all miss her so very much, but her spirit will remain with us always and forever more. Rest In Peace "Maw-Maw", our Beloved Mother, Grandmother, Great-Grandmother, Great-Great Grandmother, Auntie, Cousin and friend. We love you so much and will miss you dearly!

Order of Service
For
Mrs. Justine "Maw-Maw" Wilson



Processional.....	Ministers and Family
Old Testament/New Testament.....	Minister
Prayer.....	Reverend Raymond Landry
Musical Selection.....	Reverend Julius Van Hook
Acknowledgement of Cards.....	Family
Obituary.....	Family
Expressions.....	2 minutes please
Musical Selection.....	Evangelist Sheila Morris
Words of Comfort.....	Reverend Ronald Spencer
Parting View.....	Wilson & Kratzer Mortuary
Recessional.....	Rolling Hills Memorial Park

*Following Internment of "Maw-Maws" final resting place,
please join the family for fellowship
and dinner @ the Pilgrim Rest dining hall*



There Is Nothing Like "Maw-Maw's" Love

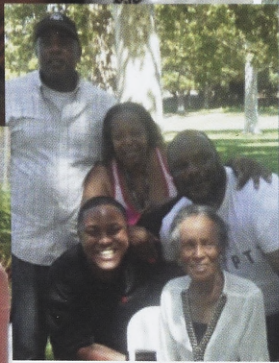
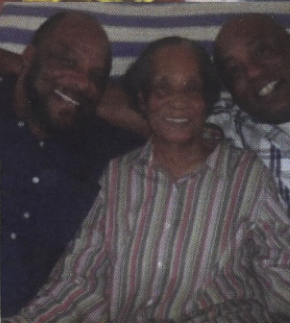
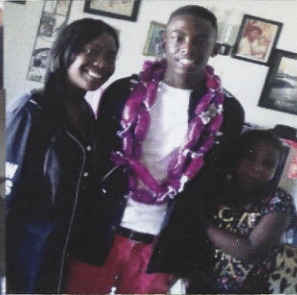
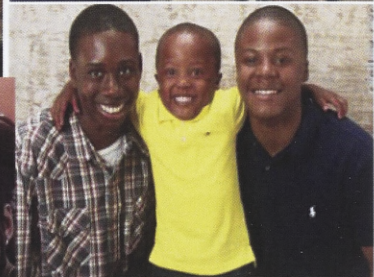
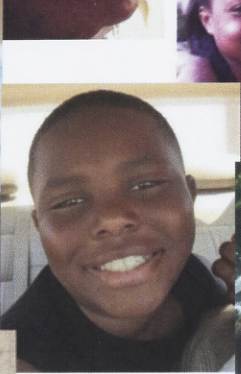


"Momma"



"Daddy"





"To My Mother With Love, From Your Daughter"

The heart felt memories of you Mom, are priceless and can never be replaced. I know my days will always have sunshine, cause where there is darkness I will always see your face.

Your love will always be as high as the sky and fill the puddles that are in the sea, everyday of my life you I know that you will always be with me.

Remembering your famous lines "MIND YOUR BUSINESS", and 6 MONTHS TO MIND YOUR BUSINESS AND THE OTHER 6 MONTHS TO LEAVE SOMEONE ELSE'S ALONE!

Throughout my years you have given me nothing but unconditional love, knowledge and strength, to accept anything that may come my way.

Thank you Momma, for just being who you are! Love Antoinette



"The Joy of the Lord is my Strength"

"At the Appointed Time"

At the appointed time, God did what he thought was best, He came and stood beside you, and whispered come and rest, He bid no one a last farewell, not even a goodbye, You were gone before we knew it, and only God knows why.



*We will all miss you Mamma,
With Love, your children: Phillip, Paul, Antoinette, Anita and David Sr.*

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

*Malik Cannon
Ricky Flenory
Kahre Johnson*

*James Ward
Otis Williams, Jr.
Devon Wilson, Sr.*

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

*Michael Cannon, Sr.
Michael Cannon, Jr.
Titan Davis, Jr.
Donnie Farley*

*Reverend Ronald Spencer
David Wilson, Sr.
Paul Wilson
Phillip Wilson*

"Our Sincere Thanks!"

There is so much comfort in knowing that we are not alone. God is with us, and it has been shown by the warm and sincere expressions of sympathy towards us from family and friends. "We", the Wilson family extend our thanks to everyone for your personal visits, telephone calls, cards and special dishes, during this time of the loss of our loved one.

On behalf of our beloved Mother, Aunt, "Maw-Maw", cousin and friend, we are appreciative for the multitude of prayers whispered on behalf our family. May God continue to richly bless and keep each of you for your kindness. Please continue to lift the family of Mrs. Justine "Maw-Maw" Wilson in Prayer". To God be the Glory!

"Hallelujah"

"I Made It Over"